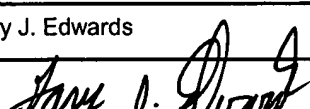


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL TYPE		Application Number: 10/071,771	Confirmation Number: 3609
Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		Filing Date: February 6, 2002	
		First Named Inventor: RAGHAVAN, Sreen	
		Group Art Unit: 2685	
		Examiner: TRAN, Pablo N.	
		Attorney Docket Number: 9146.0001-02	
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.			
1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: <u>Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise.</u> If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment.			
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____. ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Amendment After Final filed August 1, 2006</u> </div>			
b. <input type="checkbox"/> DO NOT ENTER the amendment(s) previously filed on _____. An alternate submission is attached.			
c. <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed submission: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> i. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> iii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ </div> </div>			
2. Miscellaneous			
a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)			
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			
3. Fees			
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The filing fee is calculated as follows: <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$790.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Petition for extension of time for (Months) \$ iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ </div>			
b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$790.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.			
c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in the filing fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.			
Signature of Applicant, Attorney, or Agent Required			
Name: Gary J. Edwards		Reg. No.: 41,008	
Signature: 		Date: August 31, 2006	

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